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**Quarterly Report to the House Health Committee, the Senate Health and Welfare Committee, the House Finance, Ways and Means Committee, and the Senate Finance, Ways and Means Committee of the Tennessee General Assembly**

**Regional Mental Health Institute (RMHI) Referrals Subject to Delayed Admissions under 2009 Tenn. Public Acts, Chapter. 531 (Omnibus Bill)**

**July 01, 2022 – September 30, 2022**

<b>Number of All Referrals: 2,077</b>
<b>Number of RMHI Presentations: 2,077</b>
<b>Number of RMHI Presentations Admitted to RMHIs: 1,600</b>
<b>Number of Presentations Not Meeting Admission Criteria: 477</b>
<b>Number of RMHI Referrals Subject to Delayed Admissions: 0</b>

**RMHI Referrals subject to Delayed Admissions**

**A. Disposition of individuals placed on waiting list at current RMHI:**

- **0** accepted offer to be placed on the waiting list (**0.0%** of delayed referrals)
  - **0** admitted to current RMHI (**0.0%** of persons on the waiting list)
  - **0** evaluated at current RMHI and not admitted (**0.0%** of persons on the waiting list)
  - **0** diverted to private psychiatric hospital or hospital with psychiatric unit (**0.0%** of persons on the waiting list)
  - **0** diverted to hospital for medical reasons (**0.0%** of persons on the waiting list)
  - **0** did not or no longer met admission criteria (as advised by referral source) – certificate withdrawn (**0.0%** of persons on the waiting list)
  - **0** not admitted for other reasons (**0.0%** of persons on the waiting list)

**B. Disposition of individuals referred to another RMHI:**

- **0** individuals accepting referral to another RMHI and not being placed on the waiting list (**0.0%** of delayed referrals)
  - **0** evaluated and admitted to RMHI (**0.0%** of persons referred to another RMHI)
  - **0** evaluated and NOT admitted to RMHI (**0.0%** of persons referred to another RMHI)
  - **0** having another disposition (**0.0%** of persons referred to another RMHI)

C. **Length of Time on the Waiting List**

- **0.0** average number of hours on waiting list
  - **0** referrals with waiting times of 6 hours or less (**0.0%** of persons on waiting list)
  - **0** referrals with waiting times between 6 hours and 12 hours (**0.0%** of persons on waiting list)
  - **0** referrals with waiting times between 12 hours and 24 hours (**0.0%** of persons on waiting list)
  - **0** referrals with waiting times between 24 hours and 48 hours (**0.0%** of persons on waiting list)
  - **0** referrals with waiting times greater than 48 hours (**0.0%** of persons on waiting list)